ORDER NO. 17-14-02 TAHOE NATIONAL FOREST

Pursuant to 16 USC 551 and 36 CFR 261.50 (b), and to provide for public safety, the following act is prohibited within the American River Ranger District of the Tahoe National Forest. This Order is effective from March 13, 2014, until May 24, 2014.

Being on the Western States Trail (Forest Trail No.16E10), from its intersection with the Swinging Bridge on the western bank of the North Fork of the Middle Fork of the American River, then northeast approximately 2.5 miles, as shown on the attached map. 36 CFR 261.55(a).

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50(e), the following persons are exempt from this Order:

- 1. Persons with a permit from the Forest Service specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission.
- 2. Any Federal, State, or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or fire fighting force, in the performance of their official duty.

This prohibitions is in addition to the general prohibitions in 36 CFR Part 261, Subpart A.

A violation of this prohibition is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5,000 for an individual or \$10,000 for an organization, or imprisonment for not more than 6 months, or both. 16 USC 551 and 18 USC 3559, 3571, and 3581.

Executed in Nevada City, California, this 12th day of March 2014.

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